



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

James G. Wayne, et al.

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For: SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR
USING ANNOTATED IMAGES FOR
CONTROLLING THE USE OF
DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC
INSTRUMENTS IN INTERIOR BODY
REGIONS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendments to the above-captioned application before examination in this case.

In the Claims

Please cancel the pending claim, namely, claim 1, and add the following new claims:

Sub 54. A system, comprising:

an electrode structure which, in use, is deployed in contact with heart tissue; and

an interface, the interface including

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